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October 23, 2000

Lon Thomas Star Stone Quarries, Inc 4040 South 300 West Salt Lake City, Utah 84107

Re: <u>Status of Reclamation Surety, Star Stone Quarries, Inc., Rosebud Quarry, M/003/026, Box Elder</u>
County, Utah

Dear Mr. Thomas:

The Division has reviewed your October 18, 2000 letter (received via fax October 18, 2000) regarding the status of the reclamation surety acquisition for the Rosebud Quarry. Per your request, the Division will extend the time for posting the reclamation surety for the Rosebud Quarry until November 1, 2000. You are reminded that until the Division receives and approves the reclamation surety in writing, Star Stone Quarries, Inc. is not authorized to begin any operations at the Rosebud Quarry.

Thank you again for your cooperation in finalizing the large mine permitting process for this site. As always, please don't hesitate to call us if you have additional questions or concerns in this regard.

Sincerely.

D. Wayne Hedberg Permit Supervisor

Minerals Regulatory Program

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cc: Mike Ford, BLM

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